

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services - Forest Department - Disciplinary action against Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana Murthy, Assistant Conservator of Forests(Retd), formerly FRO, SF, Nuzvidu for misappropriation of Government funds – Inquiry finalized and findings received – Imposition of penalty of 10% cut in pension permanently besides recovery of Rs.1,82,680/- from DCRG of the retired charged officer - Show-Cause-Notice issued - Explanation received-Final orders- Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (SEC.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 45

Dated:02-06-2015.
Read the following.

- Ref:-
- 1) From the PCCF Ref.No.27883/1998/K1, 21-2-2004.
 - 2) From the PCCF Ref.No.27883/1998/K1,dt:18-10-2008.
 - 3) Govt.Memo.No.2991/For.IV/A1/1998, dt:30-12-2008.
 - 4) From the PCCF Ref.No.278831998/K1, dt:17-9-2010.
 - 5) From the PCCF Ref.No.27883/1998/K1, dt:30-3-2011.
 - 6) Govt.Memo.No.1468/For.IV/A1/2004-2, dt:26-5-2011.
 - 7) From Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana Murthy, ACF(Retd)
Explanation Memo.dt:12-9-2011.
 - 8) Govt.Memo.No.1468/For.IV/A1/2004-3,dt:17-9-2011
& 18-10-2011.
 - 9) From the Prl.CCF Ref.No.27883/1998/K1, dt:15-10-2012.
 - 10) Govt.Memo.No.1468/For.IV/A1/2004-6, dt:02.07.2013.
 - 11) From Sri M.V.V.Satyanarayana Murthy, ACF(Retd)
Further defense statement dt:03.08.2013.
 - 12) Govt.Lr.No.1468/For.IV/A1/2004, dt:27.10.2014.
 - 13) From the Secretary (FAC)APPSC Lr No.1397/RT/3/2014,
dt:19.12.2014.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has reported that, disciplinary action was initiated against Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana Murthy, Assistant Conservator of Forests formerly FRO., Vijayawada Range of Krishna Division for the irregularities committed by him during the period of his working as FRO, SF Range, Vijayawada, vide Ref. No. 27883/98/K1, dt. 18-07-2006 on the following count:

Charge:- Misappropriation of Government funds to a tune of Rs.6,65,144/- and in violation of Rule 3 (1) of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964 and Art 3 and 176 of A.P. Financial Code.

2) The Charged Officer has acknowledged the Article of Charge on 20-07-2006 and submitted his explanation on 19-09-2008. Not satisfying with the explanation of the Charged Officer, the Conservator of Forests, P&E, Vijayawada and the Divisional Forest Officer, SF, Vijayawada were appointed as Inquiry Officer and Presenting Officer for conducting regular inquiry vide Prl.CCF Proc.No. 27883/98/K1, dt.3-01-2009. The Inquiry Officer after due completion of the inquiry has submitted the findings in his Ref. No. 979/2009/M1, STC/MEP, dt.14-06-2010 concluding that the irregularities committed by him are held proved. The findings of the Inquiry Officer were communicated to Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana Murthy, Assistant Conservator of Forests (Retd) and obtained further defense statement.

3) The Charged Officer retired from the Government Service on attaining the age of superannuation on 28-2-2009. Hence, the disciplinary proceedings are continued under Rule-9 (2) of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

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4) Government, after careful examination of the matter, with reference to the findings of the Inquiry Officer and the remarks of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of Ten percent (10%) cut in pension permanently besides recovery of Govt. loss of Rs.1,82,680/- from the DCRG of Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana Murthy, Assistant Conservator of Forests (Retd), under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

5) Accordingly, a Show-Cause-Notice was issued to the retired officer vide reference 10th read above. The Charged Officer had submitted his explanation through the reference 11th read above.

6) Government after careful examination of the matter hereby order to impose the penalty of 10% cut in pension permanently besides recovery of Government loss of Rs.1,82,680/- from the DCRG of Sri M.V.V. Satyanarayana Murthy, Assistant Conservator of Forests (Retd), under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

7) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P. Hyderabad is requested to take action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ASHWINI KUMAR PARIDA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Individual (through Principal Chief Conservator of Forests).
The Accountant General (A&E) A.P. Hyderabad.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Hyderabad, A.P.
The Secretary(FAC), A.P. Public Service Commission, Hyderabad
(with ref. to Lr. 1397/RT/3/2014, dt:19.12.2014.)
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER